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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 7, 2000, Applicants submit the following election, and remarks. Accordingly, this Response is being timely filed.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

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Please cancel claim 15 without prejudice.

**THE AMENDMENTS**

The present amendment to the claims cancels that claim drawn to non-elected subject matter without prejudice.